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AT HARMONY HALL
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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
Dep. Com. of L. & W.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 3rd, 1891. not-4t

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On the premises at OKANAGAN MISSION.

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at the hour of 10 a.m.

160 Acres of Lot 127, Group 1, Okanagan Division of Yale District, known as the Smithson Estate.

There is a school house located on the property, the lot is within two miles, and there is to be a new Presbyterian church erected this fall; post-office, store, flour and saw-mills within a few minutes walk. The Earl of Aberdeen is about to erect a cany and jam factory on adjacent property, where a market will be found for all fruit that can be raised. The above land is the most suitable for fruit culture and hops in the great Okanagan valley and is adjacent to the large Mackay Estate which is being broken up into small tracts, to be used for the same purpose.
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A VOTE OF CENSURE

Introduced in the School Board by
Trustees McLaughlin and
Morrow.Secretary Erskine Resigns and States
Why He Does So—Interesting
Meeting.

There was no vacant place in the semi-circle when the School Board met, last evening, with Chairman Hayward presiding, in response to a special call.

Before proceeding to the business on the list, it became necessary to secure a secretary, and Mr. B. Williams was elected to the position *pro tem*. His first official duty was to read the commission appointing Mr. W. McKay to fill the seat upon the Board rendered vacant by the retirement of Mr. John Jessop. Mr. McKay was then introduced, and took his place among the trustees.

The first communication dealt with bore the signature of the Superintendent of Education, and read as below:

VICTORIA, October 24th, 1891.

DEAR SIR, I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of yours of the 16th inst., in which it is stated "that at a meeting of the Victoria City School Trustees, held on the 13th inst., a complaint was received that three boys belonging to the Second Division of the Boys' School, named Christie, Englehardt and Goddard had played truant for eleven consecutive days, that no notice had been taken of the matter by the teacher, either during their absence or after their return to school, and that generally there was no proper discipline in that school."
On receipt of your communication, a thorough investigation was instituted by this department, and as a result, I am in a position to state as follows:1. That Master Christie was enrolled as a pupil of the Second Division on September 10th, and since which time he has been absent two days, on account of illness, his mother reporting the fact to the teacher.
2. That Master Englehardt was enrolled on September 10th, and has not missed a day since that date.
3. That Master Goddard has not been enrolled as a pupil of the school during the present term.

In regard to the discipline of the Second Division of the Boys' School, I have been assured that the order maintained in this Division is good, and that the discipline observed is commendable.

Referring to the resolution of the Board (accompanying your letter), in which it is stated that "considerable truancy exists in the school," I find that there were eight cases of truancy during September, and that, from the reports of the principals, there have been nine cases of truancy during the present month, and these confined to one school. The principal of this school has been instructed to adopt more stringent measures for the prevention of truancy.

I would add that, during the present month, three boys of one of the Ward Schools were absent about one hour without the teacher's permission.

Yours truly,
S. D. POPE,
Supt. of Education.

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLIN—Before the communication be received.

Trustees RICHARDS and MORROW moved that the communication be received, and spread on the minutes.

THE CHAIRMAN advised that the matter be further enquired into; it was evident that a misunderstanding existed.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS said that the resolution of the Board, calling attention in a general way to the cases of truancy was quite sufficient; no names were mentioned, nor were any required.

THE CHAIRMAN explained how names came to be connected with the resolution of the Board; he had thought it better to specify the complaint of the Board, to expedite the investigation of the matter.

Ald. Richards' motion prevailed.

The following communication from the Council of Public Instruction was received and placed on file, without debate or opposition:

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 24th, 1891.

R. Erskine, Esq., Sec. Board of Trustees, City.
DEAR SIR—Yours of the 22nd inst. conveying notification of several changes made in the teaching staff of the Boys' School at the recent meeting of the Board having been received, the Council of Public Instruction, I am directed to notify the Board as follows:

1. That the Board has the authority to place assistant teachers in other Divisions than those denoted by the grades of their appointment as 1st Assistant, 2nd Assistant, 3rd Assistant, the 1st Assistant being required to teach the 2nd Division, the 2nd Assistant, the 3rd Division, the 3rd Assistant, the 4th Division, and so on.

2. That the granting of a monitor to the 4th Division for the purpose of rendering needed assistance in that Division, and who ever fills this position can only be paid monitor's salary, viz. \$10 per month.

3. That each of the Divisions below the 4th Division of a graded school must be in charge of the assistant whose salary has been provided for in the estimate.

4. That, in consequence of the above, the recent changes made in the teaching staff of the Boys' School, being required to teach the 4th Division, the 3rd Division, and the 2nd Division, cannot be recognized.

Yours truly, S. D. POPE,
Sec. Council of Public Instruction.

The third letter on the file was, like its two predecessors, from Supt. Pope. It also appears in full:

R. Erskine, Esq., Sec. Board of Trustees, City.

Education Office, October 25, 1891.

R. Erskine, Esq., Secretary, Board of Trustees, Victoria.

SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd inst. conveying what appears to be a clipping from some newspaper, purporting, as far as I can understand, to be the deliverance of the Board of Trustees, and a communication from the Council of Public Instruction replying to certain resolutions passed by the Board of Trustees. In this clipping the following paragraph occurs:

"The Board, wishing its views clearly understood, respectfully begs to state that it was found by the Board, on unimpeachable evidence, that the schools had been unsatisfactorily examined and badly graded, that practically all the schools had been found to be higher grade teachers, and, generally, the progress of education was retarded by methods lately adopted in examining and grading schools."

I am directed by the Council of Public Instruction to request that they may, with the least possible delay, be placed in possession of the "unimpeachable evidence," presumably in the custody of the Board, in order that it should be deemed necessary, a thorough investigation into the very serious charges made against the Department of Education may be instituted. Yours truly,
S. D. POPE,
Secretary, Council of Public Instruction.

TRUSTEE SAUNDERS and McCONNAN moved that the same course be followed as in dealing with the last communication.

Trustees RICHARDS and MORROW, in amendment, moved that the Council of Public Instruction be informed that the same facts as secured by the Board could be obtained by the Council from the same source. If they would call the teachers who had given their evidence to the Board,

they, no doubt, would give all the information desired.

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLIN remarked that, for some time, the Board had been trying to get the Council of Public Instruction to hold this very investigation mentioned. They were perfectly at liberty to call the same teachers who had given information to the Board.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN—We began about four months ago to try and get hold of things we have no right to—with which we are, by the laws governing us, not allowed to interfere. This having been our course, we are now asked to write the Minister of Education in just about as discourteous a way as could possibly be imagined. The Board should support the original motion. Either the evidence should be given as asked, or the matter should be dropped. We will only cause more trouble for ourselves and all interested in the schools if we take such action as that suggested in the amendment. Of late, matters have been brought here, out and dried beforehand, in caucus; and brought to the Board only for ratification. He regretted that a few of the Trustees, finding themselves in a majority, had of late been making a practice of sending Board matters among themselves and then pressing their wishes through against the argument and will of their associates. Surely this was not the way to advance the interests of education. Since the present Board had come into existence they had not devoted two solid hours to the business which they were appointed to manage. It was an unpleasant thing to be forced to confess; but it was the truth.

The Chairman, coming back to the question under consideration, said that at the commencement of office the Board had been under a great deal of trouble to get evidence upon the subject touched on in the communication. The witnesses had been carefully examined, and it was upon their statements that the trustees had been urging the government to take action. Now those very statements were asked for in order that action might be taken. Would it be proper to refuse the evidence, or should it be at once transmitted to the council of public instruction?

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLIN suggested that the council of public instruction might be able to get fuller or more complete statements from the witnesses if they examined them themselves.

The CHAIRMAN—I don't like either resolution; we intimated that we were in possession of unimpeachable evidence, and now fail to produce it.

The vote on the amendment being called, trustees Richards, Morrow and McLaughlin were recorded among the ayes, while trustees McKay, Saunders and McConnan said nay. The casting vote was given for the amendment.

SECRETARY ERSKINE RESIGNS.
From Mr. R. Erskine, late secretary, the following letter was next received and read:

VICTORIA, Oct. 31st, 1891.

To the Chairman and Members of the Victoria City School Board.

GENTLEMEN—I hereby respectfully tender my resignation of the position of Secretary of the Victoria City School Board, which I have been able to devote to it, and besides, I cannot longer retain the position while professing to myself the proper official channels, but it seems that a number of the present Board are disposed to conduct the affairs of the school in a manner which, to my mind, can only end in disorganization and ruin. I feel, therefore, that I cannot act any longer as your secretary with credit or satisfaction, and must beg for the acceptance of my resignation.

I have the honor to be, etc.,
R. ERSKINE.

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLIN thought that Mr. Erskine sent a little too far in the concluding paragraphs of his letter. How was he aware that the trustee referred to had made use of the language imputed to him? That gentleman (Mr. Jessop) was not present, he would say for him, that he had denied flatly having made the statements concerning Mr. Erskine, which he was reported to have made.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS, in the absence of Mr. Jessop, said he was in a position to state, on the authority of Mr. Jessop himself, that the statements published in the COLONIST of October 31st and credited to him, were never uttered and were absolutely untrue. "For myself," continued Ald. Richards, I am in the same position as Mr. Jessop. I did not make use of the language put in my mouth, nor suggest the statements given as mine in the paper referred to."

TRUSTEE McCONNAN could see nothing to do in the matter before the Board but to accept the resignation of Mr. Erskine, who, so far as he was aware, had always proved himself a painstaking, faithful and efficient secretary. He moved, accordingly, the resolution conveying the regret of the Board at losing the assistance of Mr. Erskine, while accepting his resignation.

TRUSTEE SAUNDERS seconded the resolution, which passed without opposition, a subsequent motion authorizing the payment of \$100 to the late secretary in recognition of his services.

TRUSTEE McLAUGHLIN asked that the copy of the letter addressed by the Secretary to the Principal of the Boys' School, by the request of the chairman, be read. The request was complied with, the letter was read, and on motion tabled.

Henry Goward's letter, offering his services as secretary to the board, was also shelved.

Two memos of expense, one a bill for coal delivered at the Central School, the other an announcement that the premium on an insurance policy had expired, were read the form, and the motion was made by TRUSTEE RICHARDS to refer them to the Finance committee, with power to act.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN said that he preferred to see the accounts examined and passed by the whole board, and introduced an amendment having this object in view.

THE CHAIRMAN called for "ayes" and "nays" on the motion, and no "ayes" responded. The "nays" were heard and the Chairman accordingly declared the motion, referring the accounts to Committee, lost.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS protested that he did not hear the question put.

THE CHAIRMAN—If you like I'll call for a show of hands, if you dispute my ruling.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS—I don't dispute your ruling, but I certainly did not hear any question put. Of course I don't say it wasn't put.

THE CHAIRMAN—Then you should keep your mouth shut.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS—Well, I must say

that is language unbecoming and uncalled for from the Chair.

THE CHAIRMAN—Perhaps, it is more forcible than elegant, but it's not uncalled for.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN—I move that the coal bill be passed for payment.

No objection was offered, and the coal bill will be paid. There was a long debate over the insurance matter, and it was finally disposed of by the Board deciding to renew the policy in question, on the three-year basis.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS and MORROW moved that, inasmuch as the wishes of the Board, as expressed in resolution of October 24th, have not been carried out by the principal of the Boys' school, Mr. Netherby be instructed to proceed at once to carry out those instructions.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN and SAUNDERS, in amendment, moved that, inasmuch as the resolution of October 24th was not in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the schools or with the School Act, the instructions contained therein be cancelled.

The vote being called, Trustees McKay, Saunders, and McConnan voted for the resolution, and the secretary to the Board, Mr. Erskine and McLaughlin against. The ruling of the chair was in favor of the amendment.

A VOTE OF CENSURE.

Trustees McLaughlin and Morrow presented the following resolution, which was duly read:

That, whereas by a resolution adopted by this Board on the 21st of Oct. last, certain changes were ordered to be made in the Boys' Public School; and whereas the Council of Public Instruction, by letter to this Board, declined to recognize the changes suggested by the Board;

And whereas the chairman of this Board, who was the secretary to the Board, instructed the secretary to communicate with the principal of the Boys' school requesting him to defer carrying out the wishes of the Board, as expressed by resolution;

And whereas it was the duty of the chairman, prior to giving any instruction contrary to the resolution of the Board, to inform the Board of the consideration of the above in a meeting of the Council of Public Instruction;

And whereas by a further resolution of the Board, regarding truancy, the secretary was directed to furnish the Superintendent of Education with a copy of same, drawing the attention of the Department of Education to the fact that truancy existed in the schools;

And whereas the chairman of this Board instructed the secretary to name certain individuals personally as guilty of truancy, and that no proper discipline existed in certain classes, contrary to the resolution;

And whereas the chairman of this Board, in both instances, arrogated to himself the powers of the whole Board;

The CHAIRMAN—I understand that that resolution has been considered in caucus for a week or so. I am prepared to defend my actions here or elsewhere, at any time.

TRUSTEE McCONNAN—I suppose this document is the effect of caucus work, of which we have heard so much recently. I move that the resolution lie on the table till the next regular meeting. It is too elaborate a document to discuss off-hand.

THE CHAIRMAN agreed that the would be advisable, and explained his course in connection with the letter addressed to Principal Netherby by the late secretary. Said he, "If we approve of securing changes in the School Act, we certainly are going the wrong way about it—by breaking the law giving us the little authority we now possess. When notification was received that by carrying out our resolution we would be breaking the law, I did request the secretary to write Mr. Netherby suggesting that it would be well to hold the matter in abeyance until the wishes of the Board could be made known. I considered that was the only right and proper course to pursue, and I am prepared to defend my course, before you, the City Council, or the ratepayers. You can proceed now, or defer the matter until the regular meeting, as you wish."

The motion to take the latter course resulting in another tie—three to three—the chairman gave his vote for the adjournment.

THE U. S. ELECTIONS

Considerable Uncertainty as to Results—Flower, Democrat, Governor of New York by 20,000.

McKinley Elected in Ohio—Republican Gains in Massachusetts—Allen Elected Governor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—From full election returns received here up to 11 o'clock, New York time, the situation may be summarized as follows: In New York, Flower, Democrat, for Governor, leads Fassett by a majority of about 20,000, and unless Fassett's majority outside of New York, King's and Queen's counties fails to extend beyond what it is at the present hour, Flower will be elected by the above figures.

In Ohio the Republicans have made large gains and wiped out numerous Democratic majorities. McKinley will probably have a large majority over Campbell, Democrat.

In Massachusetts, the Republicans have made gains, and Allan (Republican) leads Russell (Democrat) for Governor. The returns from other States indicate nothing of a definite character. As this dispatch is being written, a bulletin from New York states that that city complete gives Flower 145,998; Fassett, 87,708; Delion, 5,136; Bruce, 964—Flower's plurality 59,290.

The Cork Nominations.

CORK, Nov. 3.—The nominating conventions of the Parnellites and the McCarthyites, to-day, and went through the formality of placing the candidates before the people. Mr. John E. Redmond was named by the Parnellites, and Mr. Martin Flavin by their opponents. There was no disorder.

Another Chapleau Libel Suit.
MONTREAL, Nov. 3.—Hon. J. A. Chapleau has taken out an action for libel against the Figaro, of Paris, which recently stated that he had benefited by commissions paid to Senecal, and also on invoices.

New Customs Tariff for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

JOHN D'HERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G. Doughy, cor. Blanchard and Port streets, F. & Co.'s, Port street, or Cochrane & Mann's, Van Ness building etc., will be promptly attended to. Wood and Coal for sale. not-4t

THE DOGS OF WAR.

H. M. S. Champion Returns From Chile
With Full News of the Revolution.

Terrible Scenes At The Fall of Valparaiso—Horrible Details of the Civil War.

H. M. S. Champion, which has been absent from North Pacific waters for over a year, reached Esquimalt yesterday. She came up under sail the greater portion of the way from Acapulco, and, from the time she left here until she returned, all went well. But the exciting scenes the vessel has passed through, and the many deeds of "derring-do," bloodshed and riot that her officers and crew have witnessed, are thrilling and interesting to hear of. The Champion bears the distinction of being the only foreign war vessel that was in Chile at the beginning of the revolution, and saw all the concluding acts of that destructive drama. A representative of the COLONIST was in conversation with several officers on board the ship last night, and the substance of their narrative is given below:—

The world has been pretty thoroughly supplied by the New York Herald with every detail of much importance concerning the revolution, and of course all we can give you that will not bear the imprint of stale news is composed of minor matters and technical details. Many of these, however, are extremely interesting. Do you know that the Chileans are the most superstitious people on earth? Well, they are, and you may not believe it when we tell you that every important engagement fought in which the Congressionals took the initiative was intentionally entered into on the seventh day of a month, or a date containing a multiple of seven. The battle of Pozo El Monte was fought on the 7th of May. The taking of Iquique occurred on the 14th of June, the battle of Concon was fought on the 21st of August, and the final and decisive battle of Placilla on the 28th August.

General Canto told us himself, after the war was over, that he had won every one of his eleven victories through this superstition, and he actually declared entering into the battle of Concon on the 20th August, though all was ready on that day, but waited till the 21st because of this superstition. The Congressionals, from the start of the war, were fired with enthusiasm for their cause. They were drilled to perfection, and trained night and day in the use of their arms. Canto is a brave general. Montt a magnificent specimen of plucky, fearless manhood, but the man of all others with whose name Chili rings to-day is Colonel Kornier. He was the leading spirit of the war, and it was his brilliant planning, and bold, quick mind that placed the Congressionals where they are to-day. Chileans, excitable people as they are, look on him as their saviour, and have already heaped numerous honors on him. The day after the last battle, when the victorious troops marched into Valparaiso and subsequently entered Santiago, we had the honor of receiving Montt, Kornier, and Canto, as well as several notables among the Congressionals, and they were like children. Canto especially was wild with joy, and we could see that if ever a good cause had triumphed in this world, owing to the sincerity and determination of its devotees, this Chilean Congressional cause was that one. Montt, on the day of the last battle, came aboard and told our commander that we could go ashore and take whatever steps we thought fit for the preservation of the life and property of Englishmen there. So we sent off a strong detachment of marines and bluejackets, and they climbed the heights where the foreign residents live, and formed a strong cordon about the place. None of us will ever forget that night after the battle of Placilla. Looking down from the heights on to the plains below, we could see eleven enormous fires burning, and by their fitful light thousands of men were discernable, firing indiscriminately at one another, looting houses

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

Banks Cheated Extensively by Cheque Raising—Decision of Importance to the Press.

The Pope Consulting With the Jesuits—Mount to be Nominated for Chili's President.

Extensive Raising of Cheques.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—Yesterday a stylishly dressed young man presented a cheque for £1,700 at the London and Westminster Bank. The paper seemed to be all right, and would have been cashed without question but for the fact that the person by whom it was signed claimed to have but £1,400 balance to his credit at the time. The cashier was thus led to scrutinize the cheque closely, and suspecting that something was wrong, took it to the manager. It was decided to pay the £1,700, as everything was all right, then to show the recipient of the money; but when the cashier returned to the counter he found the dutiful presenter of the cheque had disappeared, apparently frightened by the delay in cashing the paper. It turns out that the London and Westminster Bank had not been so fortunate on a previous occasion, and was victimized no longer ago than Friday, when a cheque for £2,136 13s. was cashed. It turned out that this cheque had been raised from £6 18s., having been drawn by Bookmaker Thompson in favor of James Johnson, and representing the latter's winnings on the Common in the Cambridgeshire races. Johnson was a pseudonym, but Thompson and the cashier gave such a good description of the man that the police were able to arrest him. The authorities are confident that they have evidence enough now to enable them to trace the other members of the gang, and that it will be broken up. The bankers have been spending money lavishly in efforts to catch the criminals. They declare that the alterations are so skillfully done that even the use of the microscope fails to detect the erasures.

Interesting Press Precedent.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Nov. 3.—In the case of Elizabeth K. Sherwood vs. the Chicago and West Michigan R.R., a decision has been handed down by the supreme court of Michigan. The newspapers published the fact that a verdict for \$12,000 had been given in the first trial of the case, while the second trial was in progress, and the counsel for the defence moved to have the publishers committed for contempt. The court denied the motion, and the second trial ended in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$15,000. The supreme court, in its decision affirming the verdict of the lower court, holds that the newspapers have a right to publish verdicts and judgments rendered in court, and declares that, no matter how prejudicial it might be to publish them at the time of the trial, no violation of the law is committed in so doing. The decision further states that the reading of such information by jurors does not render them incompetent.

Wanton Murder.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 3.—Five assassinations within 90 days is the record of Georgiana, a small town in Butler Co. Yesterday, the bodies of Tom Shepherd, aged 80, and his wife were found in bed. During the night both had been brained with an axe. No cause for the deed is known, but it is believed that the murder was committed because the aged couple were against the "Moonshiners," a desperate gang of whom operate in the vicinity.

Killed by a Deserted Husband.

KIRKSVILLE, N. Y., Nov. 3.—Charles Blisch, proprietor of the Eagle Hotel, in this city, was shot and almost instantly killed shortly after two o'clock, yesterday afternoon, by a man who says his name is H. Betts, and lives in Brooklyn. Betts gave himself up. The shooting occurred in the hotel office. Betts entered hurriedly and apparently laboring under great excitement. He walked up to Blisch, drew a revolver from his pocket and said angrily: "You have taken my wife from me, broken up my family and robbed me of \$100,000." He then fired two shots at Blisch, both of which took effect. Blisch fell to the floor mortally wounded and died in a few minutes. It appears that Blisch knew Betts in Brooklyn, and, as the story goes, more than a year ago, Betts transferred \$100,000 to his wife. He says that Blisch alienated his wife's affections, taking with her his children. It is surmised that part of the \$100,000 which Betts transferred to his wife was given to Blisch and used in purchasing the Eagle Hotel. Blisch bought the hotel about ten months ago.

Roumania's Independence.

BERLIN, Nov. 3.—It is stated semi-officially that King Charles of Roumania has received satisfactory assurances as to the course of Germany in the event of the invasion of Roumania by Russia. While no alliance has been formed, Germany is pledged to assist Roumania in maintaining its independence.

Defrauding the Austrian Revenue.

VIENNA, Nov. 3.—Several chiefs of departments of Baron Brunis's extensive distillery at Lemberg are charged with conspiracy to defraud the revenues to the amount of 150,000 florins.

The Chilean Presidency.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—A dispatch from Valparaiso says that the presidency has been offered to Jorge Montt, and that congress will re-open November 10. All political prisoners have been released, the excitement is dying out, and it is believed the government is willing to settle all claims made by foreigners who have been injured.

H.M.S. Sultan to Be Refitted.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—The Government is about to refit the British steamship Sultan, sunk in 1890. She cost £120,000, and it has already cost £60,000 to raise and bring her to England.

The Russian Famine.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 3.—In the province of Samara, the peasants are so reduced by starvation and want, that many of them are unable to reach the Government distributing points for supplying food. In one village 42 have perished, and the number of deaths in the province will exceed a thousand. The survivors, in most

instances, are too weak to attend the burials, and officials are compelled to inter the remains. Samara is also visited by typhus fever.

The Pope and the Jesuits.

Rome, Nov. 3.—The sudden summons of the chief of the Jesuits to Rome is generally regarded as an indication that His Holiness is prepared to extend to that order something of its former preponderance in church affairs. The Pope has refused to approve the prosecution of the Archbishop of Aix, and France has in some degree retaliated by making friendly overtures to Italy. The exceptional duties on Italian products are to be rescinded by France, and the discussions as to the delimitation of frontier in Africa are to be resumed. The fact of the Pope calling upon the Jesuits at this time for advice is regarded by many as a reactionary policy.

The U. S. Charged With Dupletty.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The Times' reporter at Valparaiso sends a long telegram describing how the United States supported Hippolyte of Haiti, in the overthrow of Legitimé. It goes on to say that the policy of the United States toward Haiti is identical with that pursued in Chili. The dispatch refers to Egan's visit to Valparaiso, and says it suited the dictator's purposes to follow the example of Hippolyte and make verbal promises which he could deny later on, meantime securing the support of the United States. Egan and Blaine well knew that the Congressmen would scorn such a treaty, which recognized that the navy of the United States must be prostituted to the defense of despotism against liberty. Civilized nations were supremely interested in knowing whether the Americans approved the use of a formidable navy in support of an anachronical policy.

Extradition for Forgery.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—John McCormick, an employee of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company of New York, recently arrested in Edinburgh on a charge of forgery committed in America, will be arraigned tomorrow for extradition. The accused protests his innocence, and says that when he left New York a farewell banquet was given him by his fellow employees. He is supplied in jail with food by numerous American friends.

Minister Montt and the U. S. Authorities.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—It is authoritatively stated that no complaint has been received by the State department from the Chilean Government of the conduct of Minister Egan, and that his recall has not been considered. There has been some comment upon the call of Minister Montt upon Secretary Tracy, as foreign ministers usually transact with the government to which they are accredited solely through the Secretary of State. There is reason to believe that the visit had reference to the inquiry now being made at Valparaiso into the assault upon the Baltimore's sailors, and that in behalf of the Chilean government he sought to secure the testimony of certain American sailors referred to in the report of Captain Schley and his officers. As the Chilean inquiry is being conducted in secrecy, and as Captain Schley was not permitted to have one of his officers present during the examination of the arrested American sailors, the Government felt bound to decline to permit its sailors to give further testimony. If, however, the investigation were made public to the world, Captain Schley will allow testimony to be taken by the Chilean authorities aboard his vessel or will send his sailors ashore to testify.

The Steamer "Monte."—

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The ordinance bureau have announced that in four months the harbor defence vessel Monte, now being built at San Francisco, will be ready for service. She now lacks her guns and armor. The Monte, in the opinion of the naval authorities, will be the most formidable craft in the American navy, with the possible exception of the monitor Puritan, which is also nearly completed.

Hunting for Traitors.

MADRID, Nov. 3.—The queen regent has ordered a diligent search for persons suspected of having treasonable designs. The government is said to have received information that a plot is in progress for the overthrow of the monarchy and the establishment of a republic, the plot being shared in by persons of standing. The government is keeping a vigilant watch for any signs of open disaffection.

Restoration of Duties.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The Treasury department is informed that the Government of Venezuela has restored from Oct. 20th the import duties on corn, rice, beans and peas which were on April 20th suspended.

Spokane Bank Dividend.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The comptroller of the currency has declared a first dividend of 15 per cent in favor of the creditors of the Spokane National Bank of Spokane, Wash., on claims amounting to \$253,921.

ABANDONING A WHALER'S CREW.

Henry Mann has brought suit in San Francisco, against the captain and owners of the whaling schooner E. F. Herriam. Mann was a sailor, having shipped on a whaling voyage in December. After going south the vessel went to the Okhotsk sea. Mann was put in irons for 51 days for alleged insubordination, and he demands \$2,500 damages. Mann's story, briefly told, is that while the schooner was in Behring sea one of the boats hooked a whale, and the first mate was sent back for an anchor. Instead of complying with the request, Captain Fish ordered the vessel under way. Mann refused to turn to and desert the sailors who were out in a scantily provisioned boat. The captain called this mutiny and put him in irons and kept him on a diet of bread and water for 51 days. The schooner sailed away after another whale, and the boat and crew were not seen again by those on board, they having been picked up by the cutter Rush.

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Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders will be received up till 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, Nov. 10th, 1891.
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J. GERHARDT THARKS, Architect.
39 Government St.
Oct. 31, 1891.

Tenders also invited for the grading and graveling of the above road, and approach and paths, already laid out at Loxton Lodge, opposite. Specifications at my office.
J. G. THARKS, 39 Gov't St.
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EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving proposals as under has been extended to 4 p.m. of Monday, November 10th.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Arrested for Conspiracy to Defraud the Government in 1885—Election Appeals Dismissed.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—Horace Talbot and Ernest Dionne, formerly clerks in the public works department, and A. C. Larose, dry goods merchant, were arrested, to-day, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in 1885. This is a case wherein the clerks got dry goods on their own account and charged them to the department. Larose was bailed, the others being held in custody. The case comes up to-morrow, and after that the Connolly-McCreary case. The Supreme court, to-day, gave judgment dismissing the appeals in the Shelburne, Lunenburg, and Inverness election cases, with costs. The members sustained in their seats are Ministerialists.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 3.—Six candidates presented themselves before the Medical Council of British Columbia for examination and license to practice in the province. The examinations will occupy all to-morrow. All the members of the council, with one exception, are in attendance. The Gold Gravel syndicate plant at Yale has been sold by the sheriff for \$1,361.

Str. Irving on her last trip took to Popcum some machinery for the Excelsior factory, and general freight for up river ports. An Indian named Pierre, chief of the Hope tribe, stated that while hunting near the head of the Pitt river he came across a survey party, one of the members of which had got hurt in a bear trap. The man was walking along a trail, when he suddenly fell into a hole, lightly covered with brush, and at the bottom was a large bear trap. Members of the party released their companion at once.

During the past season Mr. T. E. Ladner, of the Delta, had 300 acres of land in milling out, the seed for which he procured from the Red Cross Milling Co., of Oregon. His returns were large, and he thinks farmers would do well to grow this class of oats. Mr. Ladner this year brought all his seed grain from outside places. He is experimenting with wheat which he procured from the Genesee Valley, New York.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

THE OAR.

There is every prospect that Hanlan and Stephenson will again come together in a race that will be run in faster time than the world has ever yet seen. The Australian has made many friends and will find plenty of backers here. He rowed his last race under a considerable disadvantage, and an explanation of the circumstances is due to him. In practice, a day or so before the race, his boat collided with a snag and got badly broken. There was no time to replace it before the contest, so it was roughly patched, and made to answer. It was lopsided, however, and consequently steered false, while, to make matters worse, during the race it sprang a leak, and took in fully half a gallon of water.

McLEAN WAXES WISE.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 3.—McLean has lost a week trying to make a match with Hanlan, and having failed has decided to let it go. There is talk of a race between McKay, of Victoria, and McLean.

FOOTBALL.

An effort is being made to arrange a football tournament for Thanksgiving Day, to be participated in by the clubs of Victoria, Westminster, Nanaimo and Vancouver, and be played in this city. The idea is a good one and should be carried out, with a little intelligent pushing.

A cablegram from London says the Canadian-American football players scored a notable victory yesterday, by defeating Stoke, one of the English league clubs, by two goals to one.

THE KING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Harry Corbett received a telegram from his brother Jim saying that he (Jim) had accepted a match with Mahler, the Irish champion, and asking him to ascertain what purse either the Occidental or Pacific Club would give for a fight.

SANE OR INSANE.

Further Testimony as to the Mental Status of Thaddeus Harper.

The hearing of the case of Harper v. Cameron was continued, yesterday, in the Supreme Court.

Dr. Helmsken was recalled and subjected to further examination as to the mental condition of Harper. He gave it as his opinion that the man had not fully recovered from the effects of the accident which had upset his mind. He did not believe him capable of conducting any heavy transaction.

Mayor Grant was put in the box, and deposed to having known Harper for a long time. He had had business transactions with the man and found him a sharp, shrewd fellow, but after the accident there was a visible change in him for the worse.

B. C. Pottengell gave similar testimony. He had known Harper for many years. Before the accident Harper was a good business man, but, after it, he was not so. Witness did not believe that Harper had recovered from the effects of the accident.

George Atkinson also spoke of the business propensities of Harper before the accident, and his failure after that event.

A. W. Besland gave evidence as to Harper's business ability before the accident, and the change which had taken place afterwards. Harper was not near as sharp a man as he was before the accident.

Richard Quick deposed that he had been in this province since 1862, and had been mining all his life. He knew Lightning Creek in the Cariboo country, and in 1880 there were little prospects there, many of the claims having been abandoned. He would not give \$25 for Harper's claim (laughter).

R. V. Devlin deposed to having mined for 24 years, and among other places visited by him was Lightning Creek. He did not form a very high opinion of the creek. Harper's opinion of it would never be realized.

Mr. Bodwell here called for the production of the deed of assignment from Cameron to Harper.

Mr. Wilson replied that it was not in his possession.

Several witnesses were examined to prove that search had been made for the assignment, but unsuccessfully.

The court adjourned until 10.30, this morning, when the case for the defence will be opened.

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ANOTHER GLACIAL EPOCH.

The Writer Says This Is Getting to Be a Cold, Cold World.

Though the past winter has been moderate in America the cold in Europe has been so great that Prof. Bonney, an English geologist, it is reported, has been led to inquire if such a permanent fall of temperature would restore the so-called glacial epoch? During the frost from November 25 to January 23 the mean temperature over the south-east of England was 2 degrees below the freezing point. Prof. Bonney concludes that a lowering of the mean by only 18 degrees Fahrenheit would again cover the British islands and the United States with an ice sheet.

The theory of the late Dr. Croll, upon which mainly this conclusion has been reached by geologists, is, however, far from impregnable, says a writer in the New York Herald. He assumes that in the remote past our winters happened when the earth was in the aphelion of its orbit, and hence over eight million miles further from the sun than it now is in winter. From this assumption he reasons that our summers would be cooler and shorter and winters colder and longer, that snow would accumulate enormously on the continents and that the equatorial and gulf streams of the Atlantic and Pacific would be stopped or thrown off into the southern hemisphere.

No wonder geologists who had in vain spun numerous theories and had long been groping hopelessly in the dark for some explanation of the ice age clutched at Dr. Croll's fascinating hypothesis. But it is a rather lame expedient. Under the conditions assumed by Dr. Croll—the sun's direct heat being in winter one-fifth less than it now is—evaporation from the ocean and minor water surfaces of the globe would be so scanty and the atmosphere consequently so dry that precipitation would be very light. Careful analysis of rainfall data shows that in our epoch more than one-half of the earth's land masses receives only about fifteen or twenty inches of rain annually, the rest averaging from twenty-five to fifty, and six per cent. getting about seventy-five inches. Were all the land of the northern hemisphere to receive fifty inches of rain, or its equivalent, forty-two feet of snow, in a year, this deposit would not account for all the known phenomena of glaciation. But, on Dr. Croll's theory, the annual precipitation in the glacial epoch could scarcely have averaged eighty per cent. of the present quantity. If, as he supposes, the warm gulf streams were shunted off from our hemisphere into the regions south of the equator they would ultimately return under the forces of gravitation.

We may, therefore, without hesitation, conclude that there is nothing whatever in this theory of the glacial epoch which affords the barest probability of any serious climatic change on the northern continents, much less any change that would produce an ice sheet. The discussion, however, will not be useless if it leads geologists to look further for some satisfactory explanation of the glacial epoch.

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Assessor.
 Victoria, B. C., Oct. 31, 1891. nol

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a company to construct, equip, maintain and operate a line of railway from the townsite of Kaslo, on Kootenay Lake, westerly along the Kalso River to the junction of the North and South Forks of said river; thence along the North Fork of Kalso River to some convenient and accessible point near the headwaters of said North Fork in the vicinity of the mines lately discovered near Sloan Lake; with power to build, maintain and operate branch lines from any point or points on the main line or branch lines to any mine or mines which may now or hereafter be located or operated in the section of country adjacent to the Kalso River, and adacent to and lying between the North and South Forks of said river.
 Dated October 22nd, A.D. 1891.
 BELYKA & GREGORY,
 Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE.

During my absence from the Province, James Stuart Yates holds my Power of Attorney.

MRS. A. S. BUNSTER.

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 Victoria, B.C., November 1, 1891. nol-121

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AS USUAL.

The Times has a wonderful faculty for placing itself in the wrong. It is, indeed, phenomenal in this respect. If it is possible to take a wrong view of a question, it is pretty certain to be as far astray as it can possibly get. Yesterday, on learning that our respected fellow-citizen, Mr. William McKay, had been appointed school trustee in Mr. Jessop's place, we said a few words in approval of the appointment, and the Times straightway declares that what we said commensurate of Mr. McKay implied censure of Mr. Jessop; that when we gave Mr. McKay credit for possessing a vigorous and well-balanced mind, we intended to lead our readers to believe that Mr. Jessop's mind is neither vigorous nor well balanced. This is a new canon of interpretation. If we had said that Mr. McKay is a man of unblemished character, our contemporary, we suppose, would interpret us as meaning that Mr. Jessop is a gay Lothario or a confirmed toper. Mr. Jessop's name is barely mentioned in the paragraph which our contemporary criticises, and we are quite sure that the writer of it had not the most remote intention of reflecting on Mr. Jessop in the slightest degree. Besides, the Times does not even hint that the gentlemen appointed by the Government does not deserve all, and a great deal more than we said of him. It does not say that the appointment is not a good one, or that the Government should have placed some one else in the position.

We have, of course, the usual rot and rubbish about the arbitrariness and intolerance of the Government. If Mr. Jessop had disagreed with the Government about some matter within the legitimate sphere of the Trustees' duties there would be at least an excuse for its criticism, but the question was not one between the Trustees and the Government, but one between the Government and the Trustees, which both the Government and the Trustees are bound to respect. This, no doubt, Mr. Jessop himself saw, and, feeling that he could not perform his duties as the law directs and confine himself within the limits which the law defines, he, when he had time to reflect, very properly resigned his position as an administrator of that law. We do not, for our part, see what else he could do. It would be altogether a different matter if he had disagreed with the Government about the site of a school-house or its proper equipment, or anything else that is within the legitimate sphere of the Trustees' duties. Then the Times could, with propriety, claim for the Trustees appointed by the Government a range of discretion. But when it comes to keeping within the law or going beyond it, there is no place for discretion, no room for choice.

ABOUT PROMOTIONS.

We gather from the expressions used by some of the School Trustees lately interviewed, that there exists among them, and perhaps among the teachers, a misapprehension as to what constitutes "promotion" in the Central School. There seems to be a notion that the teachers who are employed in instructing the children in what are called the lower grades do not and should not rank so high as teachers employed in instructing the more advanced pupils. This, in our opinion, is a mistaken notion. As it requires as much talent and as much skill to teach the little children well as it does the children who are some years older, we cannot see what reason there is in supposing that a teacher, who is taken from say the eighth division of the school, and placed in the fourth, is promoted. On the contrary, we can easily understand how, in a well-regulated school, such a change would be really and truly the reverse of a promotion. It requires peculiar gifts, both of mind and disposition, to teach the youngest pupils. A teacher only be placed in the lowest grade who does

not possess these special endowments. He or she may have more than ordinary ability, and may have passed an excellent examination, but on trial she shows that she (we prefer "she") is unfitted for the position. She may, however, be able to teach older children after they have been broken in, so to speak, very well. When this teacher is taken from the lower grade, which she is not qualified to teach properly, and placed in a higher one, so-called, it is certainly improper to call the change a "promotion."

On the other hand, if the teacher of a higher grade shows that she possesses the qualifications necessary to success in the lower grade, and is placed in the position for which she is specially fitted, the change is not in any respect a degradation. It is really a promotion, and should, in many cases, be accompanied by an increase of salary.

The old-fashioned notion that any one can teach little children is not only a mistaken one, but a mischievous one. The beginning of a child's education is really the most important part of it, and the part which requires to be the most skillfully conducted. This is recognized now among enlightened educators, and the public are beginning to get a glimpse of its truth. The teachers of kindergartens are not less accomplished, and do not rank lower, than the teachers of the common schools, even those of high grades. And it is quite right that they should occupy a high position, even though it is their duty to teach the very youngest children who attend school. They receive a special training for their work, and they require it, and so do all women to whom the education of young children is entrusted. Where it is not possible to get this training, special capability should be sought for and recognized. The teacher of the infant class should rank as high and be as well paid as any teacher of her class in the profession. And teachers of a high class, in a scholastic point of view, if they have shown a special talent for the work, should be selected to do it, and they should lose nothing in either rank, or remuneration, because they are employed in laying the foundation of the educational structure. The teacher of the toddlers should be an expert. Experts are not easily obtained, and they should be well paid when they are secured.

THE FAMINE IN RUSSIA.

The newspapers have of late been filled with accounts of the famine in Russia. We are told that millions in that country are now starving, that the scarcity of food is causing the greatest suffering, that the people are using the most innutritious and unwholesome substances as substitutes for bread, and that, in spite of what men of all classes are doing to relieve the distress, large numbers are daily dying of starvation and of diseases brought on and aggravated by starvation. There is little or nothing said about the area over which this scarcity and suffering exist. The general impression is that there is famine in the whole of Russia, but that the suffering is greater in some parts of the country than in others.

A correspondent of the North-American Review, who has just come from Russia, asserts that the suffering from want of food in that country is greatly exaggerated. He says:—

"There are more than two million square miles of territory in European Russia inhabited by more than ninety millions of loyal subjects of the Czar. Out of this enormous area the crops of 1891 are said to have failed in five or six provinces, to my knowledge, comprising less than 90,000 square miles, and inhabited by about eight millions of people. This means absolute distress in certain restricted regions. It means no more. There are districts of Ireland in which the potato crop is deficient this year. There is a territory covering two millions of acres, called Oklahoma, I read, in your own great country, where there are no crops, and where human beings are dying of starvation. But Ireland is not famine-stricken in 1891, nor are the United States, nor is the Russian Empire. The ukase of the Czar, forbidding the exportation of rye and oats, has been made the pretext for military reasons, not economical reasons. Since August 1st more than 300,000 Russian troops—a majority of them Cossack cavalry and light troops—have been moved into Southwestern Russia from the east. There are now 640,000 troops of all arms established for precautionary and disciplinary purposes before Odessa and the Pruth and Warsaw. To secure the comfort and efficiency of this vast body of troops, the Russian Government gave orders months ago for the concentration in these provinces of adequate supplies of grain of the necessary kinds; and as it was notorious that the Jew grain-brokers always try to raise the domestic price, especially to the Government, of grain, when they sent an unusual demand for forced exportations, the ukase forbidding such exportations was suggested by the able Imperial Finance Minister Vischnegradsky, approved by the Czar, and issued."

The writer is, evidently, strongly pro-Russian and anti-Jewish, so his rose-colored account must be taken with some grains of allowance. If he had added, that certain grain speculators in America, seeing that it would be good policy in them to create the impression that there would be an unusual demand, this year, in Europe for bread-stuffs, took means to have the rumors about the awful famine in Russia and the consequent scarcity in Germany and other European countries raised and freely circulated, he would have accounted for much of the exaggeration that he found on this side of the Atlantic. But making every allowance for the sensationalism, that is only too prevalent, and the tricks of the grain speculators, there can be no doubt that there is, at this present moment, great suffering in Russia, caused by the failure of the crops. All the accounts that we read of the famine in Russia, cannot be lies.

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FAIR AND OUTSPOKEN.

The Americans are not all blind to the true cause of the hatred of the United States and everything American, exhibited by the people of Chili, since the conclusion of their civil war. They saw that while it was going on the Americans, for some reason or other, did not sympathise with them in their struggle against the man, who was trying to deprive them of their constitutional freedom. They saw that the Representative of the United States had become an open partisan of the Dictator, and they believed that the warships of the Great Republic were doing what they could to give aid and comfort to their arch-enemy Balmaceda. The Americans ought to sympathise with the Chilians, for they know how they felt when they saw people whom they believed to be their friends, and who ought to be their friends, sympathising with the Southerners and giving them material help when they were straining every nerve to preserve the Union. So strong was their feeling of indignation and resentment that after the lapse of more than a quarter of a century they have not quite forgiven those who cheered the Southerners when they were successful, and showed that they were grieved and disappointed when in the end the Northerners were victorious. There appears to be a good deal of human nature about the Chilians, and it is reasonable to suppose that they feel now towards those who looked coldly upon them in their day of need and placed impediments in their way, very much as the Americans did when their cruel war was over, toward some Englishmen and Canadians who were loud in their expressions of sympathy for the South. The Argonauts evidently see the true cause of the present unpleasantness in Chili, and knows how to make allowances for the soreness which Chilians of all classes exhibit.

It says:—
"It has become very evident that Patrick Egan, United States Minister to Chili, has succeeded in getting this government into a very unpleasant complication. The accusations which the Chilians make against Egan are of practical complicity with the Balmacedan Government, and of using his official position and the warships of the United States to supply the Dictator with information as to the movements of the Congressional forces. Whether these accusations are true or not, the mere fact that they can be made shows that Egan has not acted with the discretion and dignity befitting his position. As to the complication leading to war with Chili, it is not probable. The Junta is a little bumptious, but that is not unusual with half-baked governments. Even the Junta must see that it is madness for them to think of war with the United States. When they cool off, they will make reparation for the murdered seamen of the Baltimore."

This is more sensible than the sort of brag in which some of the American newspapers indulge in declaring that Chili should be well-thrashed and made an example of because it will not submit tamely to be hectored by a man who does not know what his duties as the representative of a great nation are, or if he knows them grossly and openly disregards them.

THE Czar of Russia.

THE Czar of Russia probably has his own troubles as well as we common mortals. Where we have the disadvantage in such troubles as disposal of his throne, his position, his blood and the like is in being able to procure easily a perfect remedy in Burdock Blood Purifier, nature's grand restorative tonic and purifier.

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Rumor's Voice.

Rumor has it that Mayor Grant will again be a candidate for the majority upon the expiration of his present term of office.

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In all shades for fancy work, opera cloak linings, etc., at the White House. HENRY YOUNG & Co.

A Social Dance.

The First British Columbia Society of Spiritualists will give a social dance on Friday evening, the 6th inst, at Harmony Hall. The event will no doubt be full of pleasure for all attending.

Have Your Carpets Cleaned.

The Victoria Carpet Cleaning Works will clean your carpets and make them look like new, at a very small expense. Leave your orders at office, Pierre block, Douglas street. F. Nelson, proprietor.

Medical Exams.

The annual meeting of the Provincial Medical Council opened yesterday at New Westminster. There are a large number of applicants for medical diplomas to practice in B.C. to be dealt with. Dr. Milne, registrar, left, this morning, to attend the council.

Boys' Suits at half price.

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Failed to Get a Quorum.

Yesterday, was the first Tuesday in the month, and consequently the regular meeting day of the council of the Board of Trade. This fact was evidently overlooked by the majority of the members of council, for too few appeared to enable the meeting to be held.

Salmon Receipts.

The steamer Maude took a full load of Northern salmon to New Westminster, yesterday, for trans-shipment to the Rothesay Bay, now loading for England. The Danube will clear up the Northern output on her next trip, the Barbara Boscowitz having a full salmon freight, and being now due.

Fall Assizes.

The docket at the Fall assizes of 1891 promises to be the heaviest for some time, two abduction cases, one of arson, and several others of little less importance, besides the ordinary run of larcenies, etc., being on the list. The cases already number thirteen, and there is still plenty of time for more to be added.

Fire!

CARD TO THE PUBLIC:—We hereby beg to correct the false report that our goods have been damaged by water. They are in perfect order, and are selling for far less than salvage goods usually obtain. Everything is reduced in price to the lowest, as the business must be closed.

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The Bridge Gone.

The heavy rains of the last few days have had the effect of demolishing the temporary bridge over the Cowichan, which the railway company erected to meet the demands of traffic until the substantial structure now building is complete. Drifting logs were the immediate cause of the loss of the bridge. At present passengers and baggage are transferred by canoe ferry from side to side of the river, the trains making close connections, and inconvenient delays being thus avoided.

The Customs Difficulty.

Yesterday afternoon, the post-office authorities received a telegram from Ottawa instructing them to carry out old arrangements in the matter of forwarding packages to the Custom House, until the affair was settled on a firm basis. Yesterday, the big pile of parcels that have been accumulating in the post-office for the past four days were transferred to the Custom House, where they were duly receipted for in the usual course of business, and finally handed over to their various owners, much to the satisfaction of those who have been put to considerable inconvenience during the past four days by their non-delivery.

CLEARING SALE, Boys' Suits. Gilmore & McCandless.

Union is Strength.

The Sailors' Union of the Pacific, whose operations in San Francisco are fully understood all over the coast, yesterday, established a branch office on Bastion Square, in this city, the first office opened out of United States territory. The headquarters of the association are at San Francisco, and branches are in operation in Seattle, Port Townsend, Portland, Eureka, San Pedro and San Diego. Mr. H. Beckley, who will act as manager here, says that the union means so many ships running into British Columbia that an office in the province is absolutely necessary. The aim is to work with the employers, not against them, and to furnish strictly competent and reliable men. Mr. Beckley claims that the union will be the first of any importance in British Columbia. "Of course," he remarks, "there's the Longshoremen's and Sailors' Protective Union, but that's nothing; by the time we've been here a few months we expect

to unionize all the sailors going out of the provincial ports, sealers included. As soon as it is found necessary, other branch offices will be opened in Vancouver, Nanaimo and New Westminster."

Removed.

C. H. Bowes & Co., dispensing pharmacists, have removed to 27 Johnson street. oc31-lmo

The Weather at Carmanah.

CARMANAH, Nov. 3—9 a.m.—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, 52; moderate south-east wind, steady; no vessels in sight.

Quality and Quantity.

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Larceny of Rifles.

Henry G. Haven was brought before Mr. E. Johnson, S. M., yesterday morning, charged with the larceny of two rifles. The pieces were identified by Mr. W. H. Snider, of Saanich, as his property. They had been stolen from his house. The prisoner pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labor.

The Shipwrecked Crew.

The shipwrecked crew of the American schooner Kiteau did not get over to Port Townsend until last night, a difficulty existing as to whether government or the owners of the vessel were responsible for their expenses. They made the American consulate their headquarters during the day, and Consul Myers saw to it that they wanted for nothing.

Their Fun was Expensive.

The four Chinamen who finished a little game of fan-tan with a free fight, on Sunday night, were fined collectively \$100 in yesterday's police court. This was duly paid and included the city's bill for surgical attendance, as each of the quarrelsome quartette had received wounds that required the doctor's needle. On the whole, the Celestials consider that they escaped very lucky.

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Gilmore & McCandless.

Donations for October.

The provincial royal jubilee hospital thankfully acknowledge the following donations for October: Mrs. A. Green, clothing; Mrs. C. Kent, bed linen and books; Mrs. R. Finlayson, bed linen; Ladies' Auxiliary, fruit, jollies, groceries, etc., from the ball; Mrs. McFavish, dinner napkins and fruit; Mrs. D. Harvie, half dozen nightgowns and a quantity of clothing; King's Daughters, magazines and flowers; Rice Mills, two bags flour.

Big Pay.

The report is brought from the Sombrio river, which empties itself into the sea on the south-west coast of Vancouver Island, that rich placer discoveries have recently been made there, gold being taken out in quantities as liberal as those told of in the early days when men picked up a fortune in a week. Six prospectors who struck the Sombrio during the summer, are credited with taking out \$800 each in two weeks, not bad pay even for lucky miners. Further news from the creek and more definite will be eagerly looked for.

The Westminster Southern.

The Westminster Southern Railway is practically completed, and trains could be run at once if it were not that there still remains some surfacing to do between Fairhaven and Seattle. This should have been completed before, but some little unforeseen delays interfered. However, everything will be in readiness before the 15th of the present month to put on the train service between Seattle and Westminster. The South Westminster extension will be ballasted this week.—Daily Columbian.

At the Theatres.

The Grismer-Davies company closed their engagement, last evening, with "Beacon Lights," a Mexican border drama by Joseph R. Grismer himself. It is built to order for the stars, and suits them well, but can hardly be classed as a literary production as worthy as "The Burglar." Still, the Grismer always please, and last night's experience was no exception to the rule. At Philharmonic hall, the Imperial Stock company put on "The Black Flag," the drama which Edwin Thorne created, and in which he did his best work. The show was good, and though the house was not large the acting was of so generally satisfactory a character that the sure foundation of a successful engagement may be regarded as laid.

Filling Up.

Mrs. Dickenson's dancing classes are fast filling up, and with young ladies and gentlemen who will be sure to work well together, and maintain the select character. The classes have always borne in the past. The weekly gatherings will be continued as usual this year.

Police Court.

The four Chinamen who had been arrested, on Sunday night, by Sergt. Levin and Officer Redgrave for fighting, were each fined \$25 and costs in yesterday's police court. The only other cases in court worth noting were those against Tom, an Indian, and Thos. McNally. Tom was fined \$25 or, in default, two months' imprisonment at hard labor, for having liquor in his possession, and in the latter case the accused was fined \$50 and costs.

Set at Liberty.

In the Supreme Court, yesterday, before his lordship, the Chief Justice, Mr. S. P. Mills applied to make rule absolute for a writ of habeas corpus in the case of the Indian Ellamas, who had been sentenced by Indian Agent Pidecock to three months' imprisonment for an infraction of the Indian Act, and one month for assaulting a constable at Alert Bay. Mr. Mills argued that the commitments were bad in law, and, his lordship concurring, the prisoner was discharged.

Gone at Last.

The water trough at Wharf and Johnson street, to the dangerous condition of which attention was called in the COLONIST a week ago, is gone at last. It has toppled over, and now lies broken on the street. The trough was a great convenience to draymen, and they are kicking vigorously because deprived of it. The water which used to quench the thirst of the hard-worked horses is flowing to waste, and making that portion of the street impassable, for pedestrians, at least.

A Land Slip.

A dangerous land slip occurred on Douglas street, between Chatham and Discovery, last night. The sidewalk at this particular spot is considerably above the level of the land to the west side, and, thoroughly saturated by yesterday's rains, it slipped, making a terrible and dangerous opening. A couple of persons fell through the opening, but no serious injury, except to clothing, was sustained. The matter was reported to the police, and Sergt. Levin was prompt in having the danger indicated by a red lantern.

A Dismal Failure.

The elaborate machinery and Diamond drill used by General Banks and his associates in boring for coal at Fort Rupert, were entered for shipment to Seattle, yesterday, the experiment being abandoned. The cores brought up by the drill were also taken to the States, and it is likely will find a place in some museum. They furnish a very interesting object lesson on the geology of the country, the various strata being outlined as clearly as if they had been gone over with the paint brush. The diameter of the bore is about three inches; not a very large hole, but sufficiently large to sink \$30,000 in.

From Hatzie Prairie.

Mr. E. Davies, from Hatzie Prairie, by the steamer Irving, reports wild geese and ducks very plentiful in the numerous sloughs around the prairie, grouse being more abundant this season than last. The \$700 granted by the Government for the extension of the road through to the Stave River Valley is nearly all spent, the road having been extended over four miles this summer. Mr. Davies, on his return, will go with a party on a trapping and prospecting tour for two months, to the head of Stave lake. A short route, whereby three miles are saved, has been discovered from his farm to the lake, and a trail is being cut by the settlers so that they can get in and out this fall with their provisions.

In Distress.

The steam collier Marie, which called off the Outer wharf late on Monday night, on her way up to Nanaimo for coal, brought news of the steamship Wellington being in distress. The Wellington was en route to San Francisco, and when about 50 miles off Point Disappointment, the crank shaft of her propeller broke, leaving the steamer disabled. It was not long, however, before the Marie sighted her, and gave her a line. She succeeded in towing her for about twenty miles, but owing to the rough weather, was then compelled to let go. This is the second mishap the Wellington has encountered during the past few months or so. The steamship San Bonita which sailed for San Francisco, yesterday morning, has received orders to sight her, if possible, and tow her into port.

Singular Phenomenon.

A few days ago, Finlayson & Day had a strange experience while taking their cattle to their winter range, at Jackfish Lake. Their band, numbering 220 head, was on a sandbar, within forty yards of the north bank of the river, when most of the animals showed a reluctance to take to the water. After a long time had been spent in trying to force them in, a portion of the band, including a number of calves under a month old, made a break for a smaller sandbar, but no sooner had they got a footing on it than they sank out of sight, nothing being seen except a seething, turbulent agitation of the island. The herdsmen thought they had seen the last of their stock, but, in less time than it takes to read this, the current caught the agitated sand and carried it down stream, leaving the cattle swimming in deep water, with no sign of the island

left. All were then safely landed, with the exception of one animal, that was smothered.—Battleford Herald.

Rogers vs. Hurst.

In chambers, yesterday, before Mr. Justice Crease; Mr. Wootton, for plaintiff, applied for an order, authorizing the payment out of court of \$200, now in the hands of the receiver, to the credit of this case. Application granted.

Name the Day—The Wedding Day.

There was a considerable crowd outside the Pandora Street Presbyterian Church, last evening, in expectation of the wedding of John Ritchie, who, of late, has been rather prominently before the public. The bridal party did not, however, turn up, and when the lights were put out, at about nine o'clock, the crowd dispersed very much disappointed. The wedding, it is said, will be strictly private. The date has not yet been fixed.

Protestant Orphans' Home.

The ladies' committee thankfully acknowledge the following donations in Oct.: Clothing, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Christie, Mrs. W. H. Dorman, Mrs. McKie, Mrs. Hutchison, Mrs. Johnston; two bags rice, Rice Mills; fruit, J. & A. Clearhau, Mr. G. Rogers, Mrs. Drake; papers, Mrs. Sorby; two bags Hungarian flour, Mrs. Mount; coal, L. F. McIntosh; milk, Mrs. D. Harris; cake and meat, "A Friend;" three boxes grapes, "Little Friends in England;" knives, forks and spoons, Mrs. J. W. Williams.

A Partnership Trouble.

The case of Williams vs. Lennin was again up at the Provincial Court, yesterday, before Mr. E. Johnson, S.M. The two men carry on the business of the Willows Hotel, they being partners in the concern. According to agreement, neither was to draw more than \$25 per month without mutual consent, and Williams, some weeks ago, had his partner arrested on a charge of robbery, for having broken this rule. Lennin was, yesterday, remanded, but allowed out on his own recognizance in a sum of \$1,000.

November Bookings.

Manager Austin of The Victoria has booked the well-known musical combination The Spanish Students, for to-morrow evening, but there is a strong probability that the attraction will not make connection. Fauntleroy has the 6th and 7th, but there is a shadow of doubt about their coming then; they want later dates. Cleveland's Minstrels will hold forth, rain or shine, on the 9th, and "The President" is a feature for the 12th and 13th. The Doshon Opera company who had the evenings of the 10th and 11th have in the classic phraseology of the profession "gone up the flame."

Ingenuous Thieves.

A curious discovery was made in the harbor at Esquimalt, yesterday. Sergt. Walker and Officer Campbell, attracted by a clumsy and suspicious looking buoy, proceeded to investigate. Attached to a floating block of wood was found a strong cord, which in turn was made fast to a rope several feet below the surface. The rope was pulled up, and revealed a very clever piece of thievery. No less than 136 tins of white lead were attached to the rope, strung from one end to the other. The lead is evidently stolen property, and, whoever the thieves are, they adopted this ingenious mode of hiding it. The stuff must have been taken from some of the vessels recently in port. The police are on the track, and in the hands of Officer Campbell and Sergeant Walker the guilty ones will, no doubt, soon be placed under arrest.

A very large assortment of the finer grades of note paper and envelopes just received by T. N. Hibben & Co.

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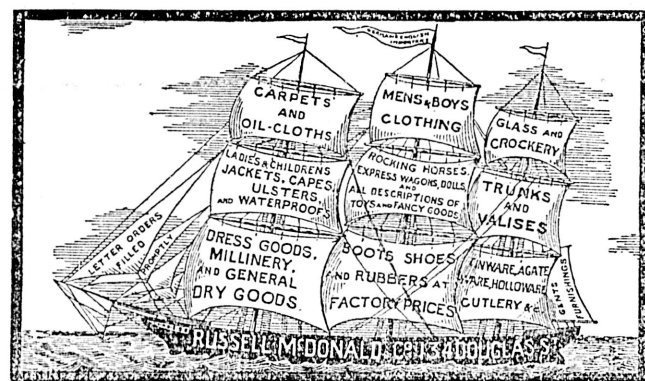
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New Shapes in Children's Hats.

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Goods on view each day prior to sale from 2 till 5 p.m. Terms cash.

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As shown upon the Official Plan of the Town of Granville.

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I would particularly call public attention to this very important sale, the lots having 66 ft. frontage, and being, strictly speaking, the Water lots of this city. It would be difficult to estimate what they will be worth in the next ten years. These embrace all the water front on the Inlet from Carrall to Cambia streets.

The commendable policy pursued by the Provincial Government in selling such choice property by public auction, thereby giving everybody a chance to compete, is an opportunity which none should allow to pass. I have simply to urge everyone not to miss it. Prepare for it, as this is the opportunity of a life time.

Terms will be made known later.

A. M. BHATTIE,

Auctioneer.

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A TRAGEDY OF FUSIYAMA.

Terrible Fate of a Party of Tourists on the Sacred Mountain of Japan.

A Grave in Everlasting Snow—A rival of the Sussex From Asiatic Ports.

At 2 o'clock, yesterday morning, the Ss. Sussex reached the Outer wharf from China and Japan, with 70 Chinese and Japanese passengers, and 1,400 tons of freight, 220 tons of which are for this port. Owing to the wet weather of the entire day, there was no discharging of cargo, nor will there be any until the rain ceases. The Sussex in coming across the Pacific from Yokohama, experienced some of the heaviest gales she has ever passed through, but owing to her qualities as an excellent sea boat and the careful manner in which she was handled, very little damage was done. Parts of her engines were, of course, loosened and knocked about, but with all hands hard at work for several hours, yesterday, things in the engine room were easily put in order. When at Yokohama, on their way across from Hongkong, the officers of the Sussex, heard of the remarkable experiences that a party of young English and American tourists had passed through in a foolhardy attempt to climb to the summit of Fusiyama, the sacred mountain of Japan. Five English naval officers on leave fell in with three Americans, all brothers, named Castleton, from Philadelphia, and together they formed a plan to climb to the summit of the mountain, taking with them fireworks and a few other fireworks which they intended to explode when they reached it. After having secured two native guides, whom they found, after having climbed for two days, to know no more about mountain-ascending than they did of algebra, they started on their journey from among a group of astounded natives of the village of Katsusho, on the west side of the mountain. The guides, at the end of two days, signified their intention to commit suicide if the party didn't turn back, and on finding that their threat had not the desired effect, they calmly walked in front of the tourists, and each, with a stroke of the sharp "koto" that a Japanese never without, disembowelled himself before their horrified eyes. Both died instantly, and the youngest of the Castleton brothers, a boy of eighteen, immediately pulled out a revolver and blew out his own brains. Saddened and sickened by this fearful scene the rest of the party turned back and descended the mountain, taking with them young Castleton's body. They were forced, however, to leave it behind after the first day, and, after Lieutenant Burgoyne, R.N., had repeated the burial service of the English church, they threw it into a glacier crack several hundred feet deep and left it there. After two more days of very hard work the party again reached level country.

TIMBER WASTE.

(Seattle Telegraph.)

The Canada Lumberman, discussing the conservation of forests, speaks in very strong terms concerning the waste of timber. He says: "Probably fifteen times as much timber is being destroyed without profit to a living soul as is now being utilized in the forests of British Columbia and Washington; it is a terrible waste, but there is no present prospect that it will be stopped." Mr. Phillips, forest commissioner for the province of Ontario, says that after thirty years the only supply of good timber, as things are going now, will be the Southern states, Washington and British Columbia. An unbroken belt of timber extends from the mouth of the St. Lawrence river across Quebec and south of Hudson Bay out into the prairie country; then it sweeps in a great northerly curve westward to the Rocky Mountains and down through the passes in this and the Cascade Range to the Pacific Coast, but, excepting what is found at the eastern and western extremities of this belt, the timber has no present commercial value.

In the back spruce lands of Maine and the Eastern Canadian provinces careful forestry is becoming more general, and the results are highly satisfactory. The rule is to cut with care, to save all small and growing trees, and to keep a rigid look out for fires. It is not too soon to urge upon all persons having the control of timber lands in this state the necessity for the adoption of similar rules, and especially the last. The amount of timber required in this country as population increases, and a greatly augmented export from the Pacific ports is to be anticipated. At first glance the forests of this state seem inexhaustible; but they are far from it. Fire may not do much injury to the full-grown trees; but it destroys the young growth. While much of the timber lands west of the mountains is highly adapted for agriculture, there is a large area in this state, now heavily wooded, which is valuable only as a timber preserve. If fire can be kept out of it, a young and vigorous growth will be making all the time, and if the large trees are cut with care, there is no good reason why the same ground may not be grown over again at not very long intervals, although of course the second growth would be much smaller than that which is now available. If the state laws are not sufficient to properly protect the forests from recklessness on the part of those using fire for clearing land, for camp fires or other legitimate purposes, the state should be so amended as to be made effectual.

THE GRAND JURY SYSTEM.

An exchange observes: "Three of the judges in the Northwest Territories declare against the grand jury system. Grand juries have never yet been introduced into that part of Canada, and Mr. Justice Richardson says that it is 'strongly impressed with the opinion that the introduction of that system would be not only undesirable, but a misfortune.' No one has ever heard of a miscarriage of justice in the Northwest due to the absence of the grand jury system or to the fact that public prosecutors are given control of criminal cases."

A Severe Attack.
DEAR SIRS.—My children were taken ill with ulcerated sore throats bordering on diphtheria. I had nothing in the house but Hagar's Yellow Oil, which I used with great benefit. I am sure if it had not been for this disease would have developed into diphtheria. It is a splendid medicine.
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PLAYED "STRIPPERS" ON HIM.

A Card Sharper Suffers for Trying an Old Trick on a New York Drummer.

"No, sir," exclaimed my friend "Buck," who is a traveling salesman for a large Broadway importing house, "you don't often catch us drummers asleep. We're wide-awake to the tricks of most all trades. I can tell you."

"The last time a sharper tried to down me was at Cleveland, O., a few weeks ago. He tried to work the 'stripper' racket on me. I was seated in my room early one evening, when a little terrier dog ran in through the open door and began sniffing about. Pretty soon a well-dressed young fellow appeared at the door, and, apologizing for the intrusion, asked if I had seen a stray dog anywhere around."

"Ah! there you are," said he, spying the canine, "always running away from me into other people's rooms," he explained. As might be expected, one word led to another, and very soon we were engaged in a general conversation. The talk drifted to cards and then the stranger produced a pack. He had just learned a new trick which he would show me.

"Now take a card and look at it," said he. I did as directed, selecting the ace of clubs. "Now put it back," he said, handing me the pack. He then requested me to shuffle the cards well, which I did. He then took the pack.

"There is your card," he said at once, producing the ace of clubs. "Very good," said I, "but I don't think you could do it again." I then called his attention to a picture in the room while I hurriedly examined the pack. "No," said I, "I don't think you could do it again." "I'll see you," said he, producing the money. "All right," said I, and the bet was made. I then selected a card—the ace of spades. He handed me the pack, requesting me to replace the card and shuffle them as much as I pleased.

"Now, I can handle the pasteboards myself; while I was shuffling I just fixed the cards on the sharper so that he couldn't tell one card from another. 'There,' said I, handing him the pack, 'where's my card?'"

"He took the pack with a smile of confidence and began to run his fingers over the edges. Then he began to look a trifle nervous. 'Come,' said I, 'produce the card or I take your money.' 'Well, sir, after he had fumbled over the pack for a few minutes I just pocketed his twenty dollars. 'Now, see here,' I said to him, 'you've been trying to play 'strippers' on me, haven't you?'"

"He never said a word for about two minutes. He then rose to leave the room. 'Say,' said he as he was about to leave, 'you're a New York drummer for another twenty.' 'I'm not making any more bets,' said I. 'I knew it,' he remarked as he left the room."

"Strippers? Why, that's a pack of cards made slightly narrower on one end than the other. An almost imperceptible difference, yet enough to be distinguished by the touch. When you select a card the sharper hands you the pack so that you replace it upside down, the broad end among the narrow ones—see? He can then 'snake' it out without any trouble. It's a neat trick and hard to detect unless you have been initiated."

"Of course I knew what he was up to when he handed me the pack. I put the card in as he wanted it, and then while I was shuffling I quietly turned it around so that the ends were all alike. 'Did it cost me anything to learn that trick? Well—but I'm not giving myself away. I got twenty dollars out of it back at any rate.'"

VESTAL VIRGINS.

Maidens Who Were Keepers of the Sacred Fire of Rome.

Ovid tells us that the first temple of Vesta at Rome was constructed of wattle walls and roofed with thatch like the primitive huts of the inhabitants. It was little other than a circular, covered fireplace, says the Cornhill Magazine, and was tended by the unmarried girls of the infant community. It served as the public hearth of Rome, and on it glowed, unextinguished throughout the year, the sacred fire which was supposed to have been brought from Troy, and the continuance of which was thought to be linked with the fortunes of the city.

The name Vesta is believed to be derived from the same root as the Sanskrit was, which means "to dwell, to inhabit," and shows that she was the goddess of home, and home had the hearth as its focus. A town, a state, is but a large family, and what the domestic hearth was to the house, that the temple of the perpetual fire became to the city. Every town had its Vesta or common hearth, and the colonies derived their fire from the mother hearth. Should a vestal maiden allow the sacred fire to become extinguished she was beaten by the grand pontiff till her blood flowed, and the new fire was solemnly rekindled by rubbing together of dry wood, or by focusing of the sun's rays. It might not be borrowed. The circular form and domed roof of the temples of Vesta were survivals of the prehistoric huts of the aborigines, which were invariably round.

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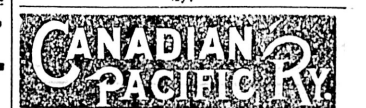
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The steamer Walla Walla, arrived from San Francisco, early this morning.
Mr. O'Sullivan's business college, which opened on Monday, has already a profitable attendance.
Hall and library-lazeps in great variety at the Sehl-Hastie, Erskine Co.'s.
Ullsters, Mantles and Jackets in latest styles at the City House.
China dinner sets, cheap, at R. A. Brown & Co., 80 Douglas street.
Blue enameled ware just opened at R. A. Brown & Co., 80 Douglas street.
Something new in glassware at R. A. Brown & Co., 80 Douglas street.
A load of hay was offered for sale in the city market, yesterday, by a Saanich farmer, who has the honor of being first on deck.
Prof. W. E. Bergman, the well known electrician, late of New York, has arrived in this city and is at the corner of Yates and Broad streets. Those who have visited him state that his treatment is very successful.
A new lodge of the Sons of St. George will be instituted, at Spring Ridge, this evening.
The ward by-law will be the most important business before the City Council, this evening.
The office of the Fonthill Nurseries has been temporarily removed to the office of Mr. F. G. Richards, Jr., 51 Yates street, where the manager, Mr. J. Allen Clark, will be found until further notice. 3t
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The case of Nugent vs. Hall, was called at the Provincial Court, yesterday, and adjourned until this morning, at 10 o'clock. The particulars of the case have already appeared in the Colonist.
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BEFORE THE COUNCIL.

The Promoters of the V. S. & N. W. R. R. Present a New Proposition.

The city council met in special session, last evening, in committee room No. 1, to hear Hon. Amos DeCosmos and other representatives of the Victoria, Saanich and New West railway upon the proposition referred to in their communication considered at the last regular meeting of the afternoon board. Mayor Grant presided, and the full council was present, while the railway delegation included Hon. Mr. DeCosmos, Dr. Milne, M.P.P., Richard Hall, T. Norquay, J. H. Brownlie and John Keen, C. E.

Hon. Mr. DeCosmos addressed the meeting at some length, defining and explaining the fresh proposition, which is to replace all offers and arrangements previously put forward. In the event of its being accepted, the guarantee will be given that work shall commence at once and the road shall be in operation within two years.

The new proposition is outlined in the following exact form: A draft of by-law submitted by Mr. DeCosmos and his associates:

1. The said company, if it desires to borrow money for the purposes of constructing the proposed railway and obtaining the benefit of the aid hereby granted, shall, as a condition of construction proceeds, before resorting to any other means of securing the payment of borrowed money, pay to the city of Victoria the sum of \$500,000, payable in 25 years from date, having interest coupons attached for the payment of the interest half-yearly, at the rate of four per cent. per annum.

2. The said debentures shall be secured by a mortgage deed, to which the Corporation shall be a party, providing for the repayment of the principal sum of \$500,000, and the interest thereon at the rate aforesaid until the said principal sum shall be fully paid by the company.

3. The debentures so to be issued as aforesaid, and the mortgage deed securing them shall be a first preferential claim or charge upon the whole of the property, assets, rents, and revenues of the company, save and except the ferry and the tolls to be derived therefrom.

4. The Corporation of the City of Victoria shall guarantee to the debenture holders the repayment of the said sum of \$500,000, and the interest thereon as aforesaid, and for that purpose the debentures so to be issued as aforesaid, shall be endorsed as follows:

5. In the event of the Parliament of Canada granting any subsidy in aid of the construction of said railway, the said company shall do all acts and things necessary to enable the Corporation of Victoria to receive such subsidy from the Dominion Government.

6. In case in any one or more years the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall not be required to pay the interest guaranteed by the said debentures, then the money so raised as aforesaid, in the year when it shall not be required for the payment of interest, shall be applied to the general purposes of the Corporation.

THE DOGS OF WAR.

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over her. Our decks were cleared for action, but soon the officials were alongside with the most humble apologies for their mistake, and the affair blew over.

We reached Valparaiso, after having steamed to Iquique, the day after the Blanco Encalada was sunk, and our divers immediately went and investigated the damage. The torpedo which did the mischief was one containing 60 pounds of gun cotton. It struck the vessel right beneath the engines, under the armour, and knocked an immense hole, 16 feet by 11, in her bottom. Our divers were the only ones who examined the Blanco, and our official report on the matter was the only one prepared. In fact, all through the war we have prepared extensive and exhaustive reports of everything of interest. Battles have been described by us, battlefields examined, naval conflicts reported to the minutest detail and every incident of the war from which any lesson of modern fighting can be drawn has been chronicled fully for the information of our government.

Everybody on board has taken the greatest interest in the war, and our men have relics innumerable in the shape of rifles, cannon balls, &c., to take home with them. We have had an exciting time, but are thoroughly glad to get back to Victoria, and are really tired of talking about all this Chilean business.

The most important event of the whole trip of the Champion was not given to the reporter by the officers; but from other sources it has been learnt that three months ago the British ship St. Mary's Bay was leaving Valparaiso for Northern ports, to load nitrate, when the Chilean Government stepped in and, seizing her papers, ordered her to stay in harbor, or run the risk of being fired on. They did this because the Northern ports had just passed into the hands of the insurgents.

However, the St. Mary's Bay slipped her anchor one night and got outside the territorial limit before her escape was discovered. Then the Government chased her with an ironclad and brought her back. At once the captain of the Champion saw that, however illegal her escape, seizing her on the high seas was far more so, and forthwith got steam up, had decks cleared for action and the man-of-war moved majestically alongside the government ironclad. The British commander ordered her to leave the St. Mary's Bay immediately, and, when this had been done, took her in tow and led her out to sea again under the frowning batteries that they expected every moment would open fire. It was a ticklish time, and a rifle shot would have been sufficient to start an engagement. On returning to port after taking the sailing ship to sea, seeing that things still looked very threatening, word was sent from the Champion that if a single shot was fired at her she would proceed to shell the city. The threat had the desired effect.

This incident, as well as a large number of other matters, was cabled to the Admiralty office immediately on the Champion's arrival here, yesterday, and may cause some international complication. Before leaving Chili, the whole of the officers of the ship were entertained at a magnificent banquet, given in their honor, at Santiago, as a mark of appreciation by the Congressional leaders of the impartial and honorable manner in which they had behaved throughout the war.

PERSONAL.

Hugh Mann, Calgary, is in town.
F. F. May, Seattle, is at the Driard.
J. Reed, Ottawa, is at the Oriental.
W. H. Irwin, Montreal, is at the Driard.
O. Fletcher returned by the Islander, last night.
Jos. W. McFarland, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.
Miss Frances Arrowsmith returned home, last night.
E. T. O'Connor, San Francisco, is at the Oriental.

A. M. Beattie, auctioneer, of Vancouver, is in the city.
H. G. Tait, San Francisco, is registered at the Driard.
S. Davies, wife and daughter, England, are at the Oriental.
G. S. Holt and J. R. G. Buller, London, Eng., are at the Driard.

Rev. J. H. White returned from the Mainland, last night.
George Riley, of the S. & O., arrived down by last night's Islander.
J. M. Drummond, of the Hudson's Bay Co., Langley, is a guest at the Oriental.
F. B. Gregory, of Belyea & Gregory, returned from Clinton, last evening.

H. Knowles, of Niagara Falls, is enjoying the hospitality of the Oriental.
J. Gauvreau, the Northern surveyor, is expected home, to-morrow evening.
J. W. Carey, John White, and John Gilmore and wife came down by the Islander, last evening.

Ex-Mayor C. E. Redfern arrived home from England, last evening by the C.P.R. and steamer Islander.
Sam'l Johnson, of London, Eng., representing a manufactory of bicycles, meters, stoves, lamps, etc., is in Victoria on a visit.
A. B. Gray returned, last night, from

Vancouver, where he met his son, A. B. Gray, jr., returning from a visit to the Old Country.

J. H. Harrison and W. Hart, from New Westminster, arrived by the Yosemite, last evening. They are registered at the Hotel Dallas.

J. H. Meldram and wife, who have been visiting relatives in Newcastle-on-Tyne, and also at Serjt. Walker's home in Bruce Co., Ontario, returned, last night, after an absence of over six months.

Ladies' Work.
A largely attended meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, of the Jubilee Hospital, was held in the Board of Trade rooms, yesterday afternoon. Most encouraging reports were submitted, and a resolution arrived at to continue the good work.

New edition of the Customs Tariff just received by T. N. Hibben & Co. Price 50 cents.

Notice.
All the goods in the new store, Pierre block, Douglas street, near City Hall, consisting of furniture, mattresses, pillows, stoves, crockery, lamps, etc., will be sold this week at low prices. Anything not sold will be sold at auction, at rooms of J. P. Davies & Co., on Wednesday, November 10th.

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